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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for responding to the Office Action dated April 26, 2005 for one month from July 26, 2005 to August 26, 2005.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$120.00 to cover the cost of this extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. A duplicate copy of

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